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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
TORU KOIZUMI)	Examiner: Yogesh K. Aggarwal
Application No.: 09/678,296)	Group Art Unit: 2615
Filed: October 3, 2000)	
For: SOLID IMAGE PICKUP DEVICE,)	
IMAGE PICKUP SYSTEM AND)	
METHOD OF DRIVING SOLID)	
IMAGE PICKUP DEVICE)	July 7, 2004

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

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We also enclose a check for the required fee of \$180.00 to cover the Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. 1.97(c)(2).

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